

"Baby" Bliss, the 487 Pound Racer, Will be Here on Friday.

Among the many attractions of the bicycle meet on next Friday will be the trial of speed by "Baby" Bliss, the 487 pound rider. Word was received to day that he would be here and would ride his "America" on the track for the benefit of the spectators.

Frank Pabmeyer, of this city, who has probably ridden more centuries this season than any rider in the state outside of Chicago, started out recently to ride a century in seven hours. He left here at 6:21 in the morning, arriving at Tuscarora at 1:17, then rode to Toledo and then to Bement, arriving at the latter place at 11:20, where he was compelled to stop owing to the rain and heavy roads. The distance covered in the five hours was 76 miles. He had two hours left and under favorable circumstances would have more than rode the 100 miles in less than seven hours.

There was a well attended meeting of the race committee last night at the club house and the final arrangements made for the grand race event to be held here on Friday.

Every mail brings in new entries and the list now reaches seventy. This meet will bring to Decatur the largest number of riders ever in the city, and the prospects are that some of the open events will have to be run in heats.

An extraordinary effort is being made to have the superintendent close the schools Friday at dinner time.

Owing to the large number of extra prizes received from manufacturers, the program committee arranged a consolation race to-day with the following list of prizes:

1st Prize: Pair Brandenburg Pedals. 2nd Prize: One Bridgeport cyclometer. \$1.50. 3rd Prize: 20th Century Lamp. \$5. 4th Prize: One Hunt Saddle. \$4. 5th Prize: One U. S. Cyclometer. \$1.50.

For the same reason the committee was hit to change the first prize in the club handicap to the following: One set M. W. tires \$12, one Brown saddle, \$10, pair ball bearing shoes, \$4.00, one Search Light Lamp, \$1.00, one standard cyclometer \$1.50, total, \$25.

NO ONE CLAIMS HIM.

A Description of the Murdered Man at Bement.

So far no clue has been found that will identify the man found in a dory condition near Bement. The following description has been sent out by the police of that city:

Bysser, Ill., Oct. 7. Chief of Police: Man found dying, lying near the railroad track, two miles east of here. Died here to-day. He was 33 to 35 years old. Had on dark double breasted coat, two pairs of pants one black and one grey striped, dark moustache, the front upper tooth gone, a scar on right side of neck, nail on first right finger injured and black; he is about 5 feet, 10 inches high, weighs 160 pounds, white shirt, celluloid collar. Revolver case fastened to suspender, looked as if it contained a double action 32 or 38. Man bears resemblance to a man named L. Goodley, who worked in Decatur on the Milikin building. Had on a new pair of shoes with Gebhart stamped on them. Man not known in this vicinity. Investigate. G. B. Forsk.

To the Afflicted.

For the benefit of the afflicted I take pleasure in recommending Miss Nesbitt, the oculist. Mrs. MARTHA FLOYD. This lady says "I have had a great deal of trouble with my head and eyes, but since Miss Nesbitt treated me with the proper glasses the pain has left me and I have had no trouble since. I am satisfied with her work."

Miss Mary Nesbitt, oculist, 250 North Park street. Oct. 7, 1w.

The Y. M. C. A. Star Course.

Opens Thursday night, Oct. 17, with the Chicago Ravens Concert Co. There are still plenty of good seats. Members should call at rooms for their tickets. Tickets are on sale at the Opera House Drug Store. 6 d6

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Majestically the great ocean grey bound leaves the dock and steams down the river outward bound. But are you, my dear sir, prepared for the sea-sickness almost always incident to a trans Atlantic trip, with the infallible stomachic Hostetter's Stomach Bitters? If not expect to suffer without aid. The Bitters is the staunch friend of all who travel by sea or land, emigrants, tourists, commercial travelers, mariners. It completely remedies nausea, biliousness, dyspepsia, rheumatic twinges and inactivity of the kidneys.

PERRY JOHNSON, formerly the station agent in Greenville, has purchased a barber shop in Mason City.

CHOLERA MORBUS is a dangerous complaint, and often fatal in its results. To avoid this you should use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and Cholera Cure, as soon as the first signs appear. J. W. Eichinger.

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Will find our assortment the largest ever shown by any clothing store in the city. Our styles, workmanship, fit and finish will be of the best and our prices will be lower than ever before.

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At \$15.00, \$18.00 and \$20.00, Fine Imported Clay, Diagonal Worsteds, Cheviots, Cassimeres in sacks and frocks, the best you ever saw for the money—on Fit Anybody.

BOYS SCHOOL SUITS at \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00 up to \$10.00 are right. CHILDREN'S SCHOOL SUITS at \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50 up to \$5.00; double breasted, some have extra pants and cape to match. Prices right.

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The newest things in Tecks, Dejoinvill, Club House and Bows at 25 and 50c, worth 50 and 75c.

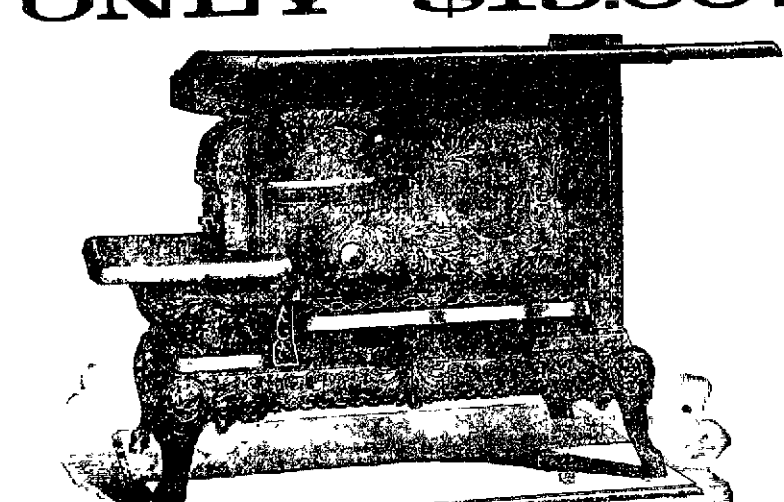
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Largest in the city—all the latest in Derbys and Fedoras, at \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00. Save 50 cents.

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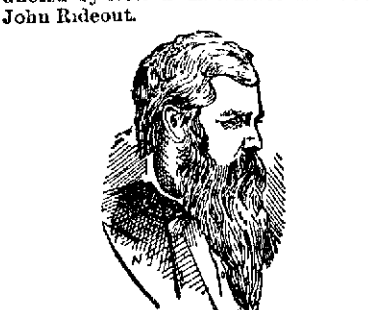
Laid Low by the Hand of Death—Expressions of Regret that Came Too Late to Relieve a Broken Heart—Buried To-Day.

Death of Gen. Mahone.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—Gen. William Mahone, the distinguished confederate general and ex-United States senator, died at 1 p. m. yesterday.

To be Buried at Petersburg To-Day

PETERSBURG, Va., Oct. 9.—The announcement of the death of Gen. Mahone was received in Petersburg with sincere regret, and especially by those who served in his old brigade during the war. His remains will arrive at 10 o'clock this morning, and the funeral services will be held at St. Paul's Episcopal church, and will be conducted by Rev. G. R. Haines and Rev. John Rideout.



Gen. Wm. Mahone

Yesterday afternoon a telegram was sent to Mrs. Mahone by the A. P. Hill camp, tendering her the sympathies of the camp in her bereavement, and requesting that the body of Gen. Mahone should lie in state on its arrival here. Mrs. Mahone said that she felt very grateful to the camp for its sympathy, but could not comply with their request.

The following officers of Gen. Mahone's old brigade and members of Gen. A. P. Hill, Camp confederate veterans, all of Petersburg, will be the honorary pallbearers: Maj. J. Arthur Johnson, Judge Downey, A. Hinton, Gen. Seth Balling, Capt. E. A. Goodwyn, Capt. John R. Patterson, Capt. Asa Rogers, Col. E. M. Field and B. T. Harrington. The active pallbearers will be the following privates who served under Gen. Mahone: George S. Barber, J. E. Spottwood, J. B. Turner, R. L. Watson, T. S. Deakwith, J. B. Whitcomb, Alexander Wilson and B. R. Gee.

General Regret at the Death of Gen. Mahone.

NORFOLK, Va., Oct. 9.—The news of Gen. Mahone's death was received here with general regret. Pickett, Buchanan Camp confederate veterans, through its commander, telegraphed Mrs. Mahone its expression of condolence. Numbers of the veterans of Mahone's brigade from this section will attend the funeral at Petersburg to-day.

Gen. Mahone was born in Southampton county, Va. December 1, 1826. He graduated at the Virginia military institute in 1847, and until the beginning of the civil war was engaged in engineering, and was the constructor of the Norfolk & Petersburg railroad. He joined the confederate army in 1861, took part in the capture of the Norfolk navy yard in April of that year, commanded the Sixth Virginia regiment, was engaged in most of the battles of the peninsula campaign, those on the Rappahannock and around Petersburg, where he won the sobriquet of the "Hero of the Crater." Throughout his career in the army he was noted as a fighting commander. He was commissioned brigadier-general in March, 1864, and major-general in August of the same year. He subsequently led a division in Ambrose P. Hill's corps, and at Lee's surrender was at Appomattox. At the close of the war he became president of the Norfolk & Petersburg railroad. He also engaged in politics and was the leader of the movement that elected Gilbert C. Walker governor of Virginia. After failing to secure the nomination for that office in 1878 he organized and became the leader of the readjuster party. He was elected to the United States senate in 1881 and served until 1887. Though elected as a readjuster, he voted with the republicans and by so doing gave them the control of the senate. Since Gen. Mahone left congress he has been a familiar figure about the capitol. During the last session of congress he spent considerable time between the senate and house looking after a bill under consideration for the purchase of certain property from him for a site for a new government printing office.

CREMATED IN A TENEMENT.

Three Persons Burned to Death and Others Fatally Burned.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 9.—A fire at Sixth and Smith streets, in a tenement house, at 1 o'clock this morning, resulted in the burning to death of Mrs. Ponce, aged 80, and the fatal burning of Mrs. Davis, aged 30, and Julia Davis, aged 19, and Raphael Davis, a boy, aged 3, will die before morning. Annie Miconsky, aged 8, and Maude Ponce, aged 19, were badly burned, but may recover. The fire originated on the fourth floor from an unknown cause. The building was partially saved; property loss small.

THE VEILED PROPHECY

Pays His Annual Visit to the Moond City. St. Louis, Oct. 9.—St. Louis was thronged last night by 100,000 visitors who, with the local population, turned out en masse to witness the gorgeous pageant of the Veiled Prophet.

HELPLESS AND IN DESPAIR.

Minister Denby's Accusation Against the Washington Government.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Oct. 9.—A letter was received yesterday from Rev. W. P. Walker, who is the presiding elder of the North China Methodist conference, and who has been in Pekin twenty-three years, in which he says the missionaries had asked Minister Denby for protection, and had been informed by him that he had appealed to his home government, and the Washington authorities had declined to give him support. The minister said that he was helpless and in despair.

The Capture of Antananarivo by the French not Confirmed.

PARIS, Oct. 9.—The announcement that the government is in receipt of information of the capture of Antananarivo by the French expeditionary force, is incorrect. It is now said by the home authorities that they have received no official advices of the capture of the Hova capital by the French, but that they expect to receive confirmation of the reports by to-morrow.

From Boston to New York on a Bicycle.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Oct. 9.—A telegram received yesterday morning from George M. Hendee, at New York, announced that Monroe W. Coburn, of this city, arrived there at 10:40 Monday night, having accomplished the feat of riding from Boston to New York on a bicycle in twenty-three hours and forty minutes, including stops.

Will Strike To-morrow if Their Demands are Not Granted.

BELFAST, Oct. 9.—The employees of the Belfast ship-building yards have given notice to their employers that they will strike to-morrow if their demands for higher wages are not conceded. The Clyde ship-building unions will co-operate with the Belfast hands.

The Cruiser Cristobal Colon a Total Loss.

HAVANA, Oct. 9.—A Spanish naval officer who arrived here yesterday morning from the scene of the wreck of the cruiser Cristobal Colon reports that the vessel is a total loss. Efforts are being made to save some of the material.

Bismarck's Condition.

FRIEDRICHSHAGEN, Oct. 9.—Prince Bismarck is suffering a slight chill and increased facial neuralgia, the result of the sudden setting in of cold weather. He is also afflicted with insomnia.

Ballard's Snow Liniment.

There is no pain it will not relieve, no swelling it will not subside, no wound it will not heal. It will cure frost bites, chilblains and corns. Sold by J. W. Eichinger.

D. W. FILER has taken charge of the

Eureka House at Eureka.

Letter List.

The following is a list of letters remaining undelivered for at the Decatur, Ill. postoffice October 8, 1895. Please advise when called for.

GENTS' LIST.

Baker J. T. Baker E. E. Bannister F. E. Berney J. E. C. Blisset G. Howard Holt L. F. Housman W. J. Houston J. B. Jones G. P. Lev. Arthur E. Martin R. F. Nye Geo. L. (5) Owen William (2) Parish Dick Porter T. D. Thompson W. J. Traver C. H. Ward W. R. Williams E. L. Wellington Joe Graham A. J.

LADIES' LIST.

Bathel Corp. Knott Anna M. Dinkins M. A. Nutter Mrs. M. A. Sermons Lucy JERRY DONAHUE, P. M.

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The Pellets cure biliousness, sick and bilious headache, dizziness, constipation, or constipation, sour stomach, loss of appetite, coated tongue, indigestion, or dyspepsia, windy belchings, heart-burn, indigestion, or indigestion, and kindred derangements of the liver, stomach and bowels. Put up in glass vials, therefore always fresh and reliable. One little "Pellet" is a laxative, two are mildly cathartic. As a "dinner pill" to promote digestion, take one each day after dinner. To relieve distress from over-eating, they are unequaled. They are tiny, sugar-coated granules; any child will readily take them. Accept no substitute that may be recommended to be "just as good." It may be better for the dealer, because of paying him a better profit, but he is not the one who needs help. Address for free sample, WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, 663 Main Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

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For Colds and Coughs
RECEIVED
MEDAL and DIPLOMA
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I have just received my first
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30, 40 and 50c Per Can.

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Prices. Now is the
Time for a Bargain.

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than pleased with it. I don't see
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It bakes, boils, steams, and fries
anything and everything, just as I
want it. Well, there, said she, "way
anything you must do in its praise, and
I will endorse it." That's just what
hundreds of others right here in De-
catur say about this.

Possibly you don't know
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COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHER,
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unprecedented sales of beautiful
Pattern Hats and Bonnets, please
accept our sincere thanks.
And in this connection we de-
sire to say we are better prepared
in every way to attend promptly
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PRODUCES THE ABOVE RESULTS. It sets powerfully
and quickly. Cures who all others fail. Young men
will regain their lost manhood and old men will
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One of our guaranteed Cook Stoves
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saver - willing to take it as you get it.
Our 54 Cook Stove is larger and
better made than others. It is
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SAY! Do you know that the
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1000 REMEDY for any case of Asthma, Hay Fever or Cough.
These Cigarettes will relieve. Send for Free Sample.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.
The co-partnership of Ahrens & Danrow, con-
ducting the Kary Bottling Works, is this day
dissolved by mutual consent. F. O. Danrow re-
sponding. G. A. Ahrens will continue the business.
Mr. Ahrens will collect all bills and pay all claims.
G. A. AHRENS,
F. O. DANROW.
Decatur, Ill., Aug. 31, 1895. [Ang 31-d

Use
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Combination
Java Coffee.
It is the Best.

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LOCAL NEWS.

HEAVY frost last night.
SMOKE Faust cigars. 10-dtf
SMITH's Columbia cylinder oils. dtt
LOWNEY's Candies received daily at
Whitley's.
SATURDAY night DeWolf Hopper in
"Dr. Syntax."

THE Leonard dancing season will open
on Friday, Oct. 18.
CAL MATTHIAS sells Iowa Prairie hay
at \$12 and \$13 a ton, delivered. Jun 25-dtf
This death watch will be with Pacer
Smith night and day for 51 days.
For the very latest fall neckwear call
at Smith & Calkins, 246 North Main St.
THEATRE tickets and postage stamps
at Whitley's.

CHARLES GROSS has sold his saloon
property on East Main street to Marsh
Markwell.

DECATUR makes of Cigars for sale at
West's Drug Store. Oct 4 dtt
Go to Henry Bros. bakery for all
kinds of cakes, pies, etc. Dec 26-dtt
USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR
FRESH Ocean Fish constantly on hand.
PEARL OYSTER & FISH CO.
Sept 20-dtt

THOSE Reed & Son's pianos, sold at
the C. B. Prescott music house, are the
leaders in Decatur. See them. Prices
low and terms easy.

SHOULDER braces, atomizers, medi-
cated soaps and hair tonics at Irwin's
drug store.

THE Buyers' and Merchants' Benefit
Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your en-
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CHARLES LEWIS, who some time ago
had a horse and some sheep killed on
the P. D. & E. road, has effected a set-
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\$104.

TO REMOVE the constipated habit, the
only safe treatment is a course of Ayer's
Pills, followed by a laxative diet. Most
other cathartics do more harm than
good, therefore leading physicians recom-
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family physic.

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LADIES', children's and misses' made-
up dresses and cloaks cleaned and dyed
in any color. Velvet and plush cloaks
dry cleaned, steamed and finished at
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cade. We are the only practical dyers
and cleaners in the city.

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Shultz, Mallett, Warren, Penwell, A.
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BACHMAN.
The death of Mrs. Ida A. Bachman
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deceased had been ill with lung trouble.
She was the wife of Charles F. Bach-
man, of the furniture company of Bach-
man Bros. & Martin. Her age was 35
years. She was born November 12th,
1860, and became the wife of Mr. Bach-
man May 18, 1882. She was the mother
of two children, one of whom died in
1884. The husband and one child sur-
vive. She was a member of the First
Baptist church and of Progress, Lodge
No. 141, Daughters of Rebekah.

BOWERMAN.
Mrs. Mary Bowerman, wife of Dudley
Bowerman, died of old age at 7 p. m.
Tuesday, October 8, at the home of her
daughter, Mrs. C. J. McIntyre, No. 129
North Jackson street, aged 81 years.
She leaves a husband and four children.
Mrs. McIntyre and Dudley Bowerman
of this city, Thomas Bowerman, of
Tower Hill, Ill., and Adam Bowerman of
St. Louis.

JOHNSON.
Mrs. Jane Johnson, wife of George
Johnson, died Tuesday, October 8, at
her home in Austin township, aged 46
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COMPANY H.
Everything in Readiness for the
Reception To-Morrow
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The reception to be given to the citi-
zens of Decatur by the members of
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10, 1895, will be a pleasant affair. Those
who are making the arrangements for it
are doing all in their power to make it
one of the great events in Decatur. The
occasion will be the opening of the com-
pany's new armory which is very fine
and commodious, and they want the
people of Decatur to see them at home.
A large number of invitations have been
sent out, but everybody will be welcome
without money and without price to
come and see the home of Company H.
Fifth Infantry, Illinois National Guard.
Company H will receive those that
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The reception committee at the Armory
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Maj. F. M. Young, Senator M. F. Kanan,
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During the evening short addresses
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After the reception proper and the ad-
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ing in the large hall.

The Westbay Bank Failure.
The Chicago papers of last week con-
tained a dispatch which stated that the
Bank of Monett and the Bank of Purdy,
in Missouri, were insolvent and in the
hands of receivers. The Mattson Jour-
nal says a letter to T. W. Gaw from J.
P. Westbay, who is practically owner of
both banks, states that neither of the
banks is insolvent. The Bank of Mon-
nett when closed had about 50 per cent
of its deposits in cash on hand, and
with a capital and surplus of about
thirty thousand dollars, had in all
only two thousand dollars' worth of
bad paper, so that if all were to be
charged off at once it would still leave
an unimpaired capital of \$23,000, and a
surplus fund of more than \$2000. Mr.
Westbay was himself the heaviest de-
positor, having put all his ready money
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The reason given for closing the bank
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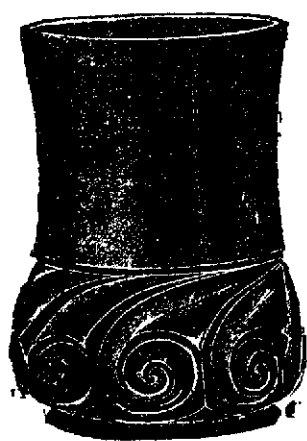
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Fall Footwear.

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Hanan & Sons, who are the recognized originators of the best styles, offer two very nebbish shoes entirely new, both in enameled calf. One is the "Grocian toe," with extra heavy soles and extension edges. The other is known as the "Manhattan last." It has a cork sole and is a trifle wider than the Grecian toe. These are certainly the "proper thing" and they are bound to have a big sale. Enameled calf is just what is needed for fall and winter wear. It is guaranteed to keep out the water, and the wearer of these shoes can do without rubbers and still have no fear of catching cold.

But how about the Ladies?

Their feet ought to be properly and prettily protected, and surely they should be guarded against catching cold as well as the stronger and sterner sex.

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is better than none, but best are the ones nature gave us; and to clean them perfectly requires a good stiff brush. Our 25c tooth brush is of that kind. We have others, some higher and some cheaper; also powders, pastes and liquids for the teeth.

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WEDNESDAY, OCT. 9, 1895.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

I. O. O. F.—All members of Progress Lodge, No. 141, D. C. R. are requested to meet at the hall at 2 p. m. October 10, to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. Ida Richman. Mrs. L. F. RICHMOND, N. G. CORDE UNDERWOOD, SEC.

LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke the Queen.—Gile & Co. of Smith's Columbia cylinder oils. dtf
Mrs. Irwin's Excelsior hair promoter. dtf
Smoke the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25-dtf
Lowrey's Candies received daily at Whitley's.
Use Irwin's Kock Balsam for coughs and colds.

CALL for the Little Rose cigars. They are made by Michl.

43 brands of Fine Cigars to select from at West's Drug Store. oct4-dtf

Dunn & Co. are still selling clothing at reduced prices. Opposite Opera house.

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Bicycles for rent and for sale. Dodd Co., 153 Merchant street. apr5-dtf

Just received, the very latest effects in fall neckwear at Smith & Calkins.

The Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25-dtf

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ROGER & GELLET perfumes, full line, just received at Whitley's.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR.

ALL drugs and medicines are of the very best quality at Irwin's.

FRESH Oysters in cans and bulk. sept30-dtf PEARL OYSTER & FISH CO.

Dr. L. E. COONRADT, Dentist, rooms 42 and 43, Peaton block. aug24-dtf

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The Antioch Baptist Church will give an entertainment at the Odd Fellows Hall, Friday Oct. 11. All are cordially invited.

See the stylish display of millinery at 312 North Water street Oct. 11 and 12 at Mrs. McDonald's. oct7-dlw

To day Henry and Melissa Smock made a bill of sale of personal property to G. Stephenson, \$450.

WINTER opening at Mrs. McDonald's on Friday and Saturday, Oct. 11 and 12, at 312 North Water street. oct7-dlw

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Phor. Rice will give a photograph concert at the W. C. T. U. Hall, Library block, Thursday, at 7:30 p. m. All hear at once. Cornet solos, Gilmore's band, humorous recitations. Admission 25c; children 15c. 8-43

The Decatur pilgrims who were up nearly all of last night to take in the Veiled Prophets parade at St. Louis, are looking pretty well fagged out to-day. They saw 20 floats and a big crowd and got home at 3 o'clock this morning. And yet they say they had lots of fun.

CONSUMPTION as to the choice of a blood purifier is unnecessary. There is but one best Sarsaparilla, and that is Ayer's. This important fact was recognized at the World's Fair, Chicago, 1893, being the only blood-purifier admitted to be placed on exhibition.

EVERYBODY comes, as I am doing all kinds of fur and cloak work. Repairing done to order at low prices. Will handle the work myself. Call at my house, last house on North Edward street, or Mr. Wittig, under Cheap Charley's.

oct4 d2w MRS. AMANDA WITTIG
CALL at H. Tay's, South Water street, for Parlor Suits, Lounges and Couches, Bedroom Suits, Sideboards, Hall Trees, Kitchen Cabinets, Baby Carriages. A good stock to select from. Do you wish your parlor suits or lounges re-upholstered; if so call and select coverings.

Sept. 27-dlmo
M. F. Metz has reopened his 628 North Main street coal office. Orders left there will have prompt and careful attention. Telephone 399, old 'phone. Personally he will be found at his 800 North Broadway coal office. For Broadway office, old 'phone 433, new phone 435. Also leave orders with his son Harry, at King & Metz's drug store.

July8-dtf

SMITH AWAITING DEATH.

Placed in the Reserve Cell for
Condemned Prisoners—
A Noose.

Pacer Smith, condemned to be hanged November 29, now occupies one of the upper cells in the residence part of the county jail. It is on the east side of the building, and has heavily barred doors and windows. In this cell Smith will remain night and day alone until he is escorted down the stairway back into the jail corridor to mount the gallows to pay the penalty for his double crime. Deputy Sheriff Sam Stabler and Thomas H. Richardson will form the death watch. Stabler will be on duty in the daytime and Richardson at night. They will occupy a chair in the hall at the door, so that they can keep an eye on Smith, and if necessary prevent him from taking his own life or doing anything that would prevent the sentence of the court being carried into execution.

Smith prefers to be alone. He has his few personal belongings with him in the room, including a small bible given him by a Mrs. Walker, a stranger, a table and a chair, and also a pipe which he prizes more highly apparently than any other thing in sight. He slept soundly last night, and was awake in time for breakfast. He ate heartily of food brought from the sheriff's table, and then became sick, but recovered in a short time.

A SAMPLE NOOSE.

By express this morning Sheriff Nicholson received a package from Danville. It came from Ex-Sheriff Peter Perl, and is supposed to contain a sample noose made by Perl for the Smith execution. The Sheriff had gone to Chester to take a prisoner to the penitentiary, and the box will not be opened until his return. Perl became quite expert in making a hangman's noose, and has been thought ful enough to give his successor in office valuable pointers.

SERIOUSLY HURT.

A Veteran of the Eighth Illinois
Crippled at Normal.

Captain Geo. S. Duffee is in receipt of information telling of the serious misfortune which befel his old comrade in arms, Henry W. Stillbamer, of the 8th Illinois Regiment, at Normal, on Monday of this week. Mr. Stillbamer had the contract for repairing the Methodist church at Normal. He was directing the work of hoisting to place an iron beam weighing 2500 pounds, when it slipped, one end in the fall catching Mr. S., injuring him so badly that his left arm had to be amputated below the elbow. He had four ribs broken and one leg badly hurt. He may recover. Mr. Stillbamer served five years in the army. Captain Duffee was with him last week at the reunion at Lexington, and was his guest in Bloomington. He has many old soldier friends in Decatur who will regret to hear of his misfortune.

Reed and Tupper.

The Roland Reed company presented "The Politician" at the Grand last night and did it in a finished manner, entertaining a large audience thoroughly. Roland Reed, who is one of America's favorite comedians, cleverly sustained the role of Col. Lumber, the scheming politician, equal to any emergency. The support included Sherry Tupper, whose impersonation of the innocent old farmer candidate for congress, was capitally done. He was certainly in the hands of his friends, and seemed to be only too willing to retire when after the election it was found the vote was a tie. Mr. Tupper was given an ovation by his personal friends in the audience. Miss Isadora Rush, as usual made a very favorable impression.

Gibson's Silver Day.

Gibson City yesterday celebrated its silver anniversary by accepting its \$35,000 water works. Elaborate arrangements were carried out during the day. Ten thousand people were in the city and speeches were made by many prominent persons. The presentation speech was made by Fred M. Spaulding, the first boy born in the city, and the fountain was unveiled by Mrs. Maud Lott Harvey, of Sibley, the first girl born in Gibson.

Pedaling.

Riders Frank Ford, Hal Hammer, L. E. Rogers and Frank Faries went to Atlanta to-day, where this afternoon they are contesting in the bicycle races. Archie Wilson is also there in the capacity of referee.

The diamonds to be presented to the winners in Friday's races can be seen on exhibition in the windows of the Curtis Bros. and Post jewelry stores.

A Sprained Ankle.

Yesterday morning while Mrs. E. B. Pratt was out in the yard at the residence of her son, F. M. Pratt, on Prairie avenue, examining her plants, she accidentally stepped into a depression in the ground, twisting her ankle and falling down. Her ankle is badly swollen and she is compelled to go on crutches.

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The unknown man found near Belmont was buried Tuesday at that place by the authorities. No one could identify him.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR

PERSONAL MENTION.

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Mrs. Will Huff returned to-day from a visit with her parents in Champaign.

Alderman R. R. Montgomery and wife and Mrs. T. P. Matthews are in St. Louis.

A. W. Conklin will leave for Atlanta, Ga., to-morrow to be absent several weeks.

Landlord Robert Taggart, wife and son Edgar left yesterday for Popular Bluffs, Mo.

Mrs. Rev. Hight, of Macon, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Webb on West Wood street.

Mrs. Joseph M. Murphey and son and Miss Margaret Murphey went to Champaign to-day to visit relatives.

Mrs. George R. Bacon is visiting in Champaign. Captain Bacon will go over Saturday and return with her Monday.

Mrs. R. C. Lanning, who has been quite ill at her home at the Arcade hotel, is now reported to be much improved in health.

Conductor C. W. Seiwel and wife, of Danville were in the city yesterday for a brief visit with his sister, Mrs. S. J. Bumstead.

Mont Peniwell, who has been confined to his home for the past three weeks with typhoid malarial fever, is again able to be out.

Mrs. H. F. May and Mrs. C. B. Prescott were in St. Louis yesterday to attend the fair and witness the Veiled Prophets' parade.

Mrs. William Downing and daughter, Maude, will arrive to-day from a two weeks' visit with relatives in Columbus and Dayton, Ohio.

Joseph A. Newman and Mrs. Minnie Greenwell and son left yesterday for Dexter, Kas., after a visit with G. W. Newman and family.

H. H. Wise is ill with diphtheria at his home on St. Louis avenue. His little daughter who has been ill with the same disease is improving.

Dr. J. S. King was in St. Louis yesterday, returning at 3 a. m. to-day, to be called to Blue Mound on the first train on professional business.

S. D. McKinney returned to day from Belleflower, Ill. He says the corn huskers are quite numerous now in that section of the state, and that some trains stop only within two miles of a station. Walking that distance on a frosty morning before breakfast is relished by but very few men.

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Supt. W. L. Ferguson, of the street car line, will go to Montreal this week to attend the annual convention of street car men which convenes on the 15th. He has not yet decided that he will take in all of the side trips, which include a visit to the immense power plant at Niagara Falls and an inspection of the electric lines of New York, Brooklyn and Philadelphia.

TWO STRAY BOYS.

Both Under Ten Years Stranded at Elwin.

Last evening two well-dressed little boys named Bell, neither ten years of age, were put off the south-bound Central train at Elwin, five miles south of Decatur, and were left to hustle for themselves. They were taken in by A. F. Hopkins, who kept them over night and brought them to Decatur this morning, letting them out of his rig at Wood and Water streets. They said they could find their way home and they scampered away.

The boys told a story to the effect that they were at the Union depot in Decatur last evening with their mother who had bought a ticket for St. Louis. They couldn't find her, and they got on the Illinois Central train only to be put off at Elwin.

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VERSAILLES, Ky., Oct. 8.—Imported Ormond d'Or, chestnut stallion, by Ben d'Or, and brother in blood to Ormonde, which W. O. B. McDonnell of California paid \$150,000, is dead at Spring Hill Stud. Inflammation of the bowels was the cause of death. His owner, William H. Sands, New York valued him at \$10,000.

Died of Old Age.

Mrs. Mary Bowen died at 8 o'clock last evening of old age at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James McIntyre, 139 North Jackson street. Deceased was 80 years of age and leaves the sons and one daughter. The funeral is in progress this afternoon from the residence. Interment in Mt. Gilead cemetery.

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Arraignment of Indicted Parties
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Charles J. Seymour, alias C. J. Noe, embezzlement. Pleaded not guilty.

John T. Bradford, false pretenses. Pleaded not guilty.

Benj. F. Wootley, forgery. Pleaded not guilty.

Mattie & Son vs. Fred Norman, no fault. Motion for rule on master to report fifth Monday.

Mary C. Shepherd vs. C. M. Childs, no fault. Same entry as above.

Albert L. Mer et al vs. George B. The et al, partition. Default as to addits not answering, and referred to master.

Ann Bolles vs. James T. Bolles et al, partition. Appearance of T. J. Pegram entered.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.

Marcus D. Camp vs. George Elliott, assumption. Demurrer to additional count overruled.

PEOPLES DOCKET.

People vs. Charles Smith; burglary and grand larceny. Verdict of guilty on second and third counts; age of defendant over 21 years. Value of goods stolen \$25. Motion entered for a new trial.

People vs. John Nolan and Ben Woodward; burglary and grand larceny. Nolan, aged 18, born at St. Louis, parent dead, lived with and sentenced to the penitentiary. Woodward, aged 16, stood trial and was found guilty by the jury. Sentenced to the reform school.

Sales of Real Estate.

Emily A. Carr to C. P. Childs, lot 1, block 3, Carr's third addition to Argenta—\$150.

J. B. Williams to A. T. Summers, south half lot 2, Miller & Packard's addition Decatur—\$650.

J. J. Finn to H. E. Postor, master's deed, north half lot 6, block 4, H. Robinson's addition—\$438.

J. J. Finn to Sarah E. Wise, lots 25, 26 and 27, block 1, Wise's subdivision—\$1,800.

J. J. Finn to People's Savings and Loan Association, master's deed to lot 19 in block 4, East Park Boulevard—\$700.

W. J. Hooper to Mary E. Hooper, life estate in the east half of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of 32, 16 3 east—\$2.

A. T. Summers to Orson Scott, the south half of lot 2, Miller & Packard's addition to Decatur—\$850.

W. F. Hill to J. W. Eckman, lot 3 of Wain's survey in Adamson & Prather's addition to Decatur—\$7,000.

Angeline A. Atchison to James J. Lee, lot 14, block 11, Carver's addition—\$1,200.

James J. Finn to Jefferson Bailey, master's deed to 40 acres in 16, 18, 1 east—\$3,000.

E. S. McCarty, administrator of estate of W. H. Myers, to Lucinda Myers, deed to two tracts of land—\$850.

Andrew Shoemaker to Angeline Thornback, now Angeline Atchison, quit claim to lot 14, block 11, Carver's addition—\$2.

Gen. John C. Smith's Hospitality

General John Corson Smith, venerable chief of the "Veteran Freemasons' Ancient Society," has issued quaint invitations for the tenth annual assembly at "Smith's Inn," 65 Sibley street Wednesday, Oct. 23. The invitations are printed in Indigo ink, on bright blue cambric, and the lettering is surrounded by the symbols of the ancient and noble order. To those who are unacquainted with General Smith, and unfamiliar with his hospitality, it may be interesting to know that "Smith's Inn" is his own private residence, but a house where the doors are set wide for the wayfaring brother. Accompanying the unique bidding of the venerable chief is a daintily engraved invitation, illustrated with a picture of the inn referred to, and a more mysterious one, showing a veiled figure in a palanquin borne by two silent Orientals, the words "Twelve" below suggesting departure. In this inclosure Mrs. Corson Smith cordially invites the dames of the good and trusty knights to accompany them to the reception, which will be held at early candle-light.

The engagement is announced of Miss Ida Rumpf to William R. Clasen. Chicago Evening Journal.

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